

Public Notice
Proposed Issuance of a Construction Permit to
Central Illinois Energy Cooperative in Canton

Central Illinois Energy Cooperative has applied to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Illinois EPA) for a construction permit to build an ethanol production facility to be located at 23133 East County Highway 6 near Canton. The construction requires a permit because the facility will be a source of air emissions. Emissions from the facility will not exceed major source levels and therefore the project is not subject to the federal Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) rules, 40 CFR 52.21. The Illinois EPA is accepting comments prior to making a final decision on this project.

Persons wanting more information may obtain copies of the draft permit, and project summary at www.epa.gov/region5/air/permits/ilonline.htm (please look under All Permit Records, State Construction Permit, New). These documents and the application can also be obtained from the Illinois EPA's offices at 5415 North University in Peoria, 309/693-5461 and 1340 North Ninth St., Springfield, 217/782-7027 (please call ahead to assure that someone will be available to assist you). Copies of the documents will be made available upon request.

The Illinois EPA is accepting comments prior to making a final decision on this project. Comments must be postmarked by midnight May 9, 2003. If sufficient interest is expressed in the permit, a hearing may be held. Requests for information, comments, and questions should be directed to Brad Frost, Division of Air Pollution Control, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, PO. Box 19506, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9506, phone 217/782-2113, TDD phone number 217/782-9143.